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ADDRESS OF THE PRESIDENT, JOHN H. MUSSER, M. D.

Atlantic City, May 9, 1911.

It may have seemed to those of you who have been interested in the Association but who have not been in touch with its activities that the organization has been "touched" with that affection, not claiming a term in nosology named "dry rot." The officials who have borne the burdens, the Secretary, Treasurer, and Manager of the Exchange know differently and your presiding officer will, in confidence of course, disclose to you their tribulations and, fortunately at the same time intimate that out of them spring forth our joys. The difficulties seemed and were great, being chiefly those of finance. We were in darkness as to the amount of our capital and ignorant as to our resources. For a time the office of Treasurer was in abeyance. We were most fortunate in securing the present incumbent and his report will show that with much effort order is coming out of chaos. We know exactly our membership and the relation individuals and libraries have to the Association.

This is one source of felicitation and we may further congratulate ourselves that the Manager of the Exchange and the Treasurer reside in the same city and can advise with one another, their respective duties being so interdependent, saving time and expense to the society. Without a thought other than the interest of the society your Presiding Officer suggests that the office of the Secretary and Treasurer be combined and that the By-laws be so modified as to bring about this result.

The report of the Manager of the Exchange shows continued usefulness of this feature of the Association, so strongly insisted upon by Professor Osler and Professor Jacobi, both large contributors in money and books to its success. That it should be our earnest endeavor to support the untiring manager need not be urged upon you.

We need not be discouraged and, in this our thirteenth year of organization, we may feel that the spirit of the organization stands for much.

It is great cheer to know that in an appeal for bibliographical medical research by Mr. H. M. Barlow, printed in the British Medical Journal under the title of "The Medical Library Association: a Few Observations," he points to the success of the work of our Association. He begs for the co-operation of libraries and librarians to the end that by a system of cataloguing the research student may know where and how to find a given book. Although not a far cry, for we are kinsmen, Mr. Barlow's words of encouragement must stimulate us to further endeavor.

That the functions of this association should appeal to many, who are not in contact with it, if they appreciated the stimulus that comes to the handful of us that gather together at the Annual Meeting, I am sure you will all agree. Such functions are properly stated in the constitution, and it seems to me need only that attention be called to them to engage interest and support in our Association.

Before referring to the means by which we might promote these interests I trust you will pardon renewed reference to some of the features of the Association and to a possible extension of the usefulness of the body.

It is conceded that to furnish a means of intercourse among persons interested in a kindred topic and an opportunity of meeting elbow to elbow to discuss trials and tribulations, as well as successes, is one powerful animus of the organization. As a medium of exchange it has great possibilities. The work of our Exchange is without doubt satisfactory and with present officials, failure only comes from lack of funds. In this connection it might be advisable to acquaint research laboratories and various other special departments of medical science the relationship the Exchange might have to them by acting as an intermediate, and in the exchange of their own works which they would have in duplicates or of transactions, reprints, etc. coming to them in the natural course of events, needed, however, more by one than by another allied department.

The Professor of the Department of Research Medicine, University of Pennsylvania, saw at once the possibilities of enriching his department and asked to have the department join the Association.

That a scheme of interchange might be arranged is not of course Utopian and the Medical Library Association could no doubt be a wise distributor of literature. To this end it might ask Research Departments, Medical Laboratories and other scientific institutions to make the Exchange a depository of the reprints of their articles or of their transactions for distribution to the mutual friends of the organization. Perhaps this is a function of the Smithsonian Institution or is conducted in some other manner. If not, I would ask the Association to formulate a plan which would embody these suggestions. It is true the assumption of such labors might lead us into expenditure greater than our income. Is it not possible Mr. Carnegie or the Carnegie Institution would look with favor to this addendum to Library work and usefulness? Let as make good, and then apply for support commensurate with our value to libraries.

Through the kindness of Mr. Fisher and his staff, I am enabled to hand you for the exchange a card catalogue of the important books published in England, France, Germany and Italy during the past three years. Members of the association can secure from the exchange titles of books on particular subjects in their respective languages, and if it proves worth while the exchange might keep the list up to date in the manner suggested by Mr. Fisher.

The titles could be taken from the monthly list of new books issued by Hirshwald in Berlin and distributed by various book-sellers in New York, supplemented by the advertisements and book-notices in the periodicals, and the English and American catalogues. Later these titles can be revised from the numbers of the "Index Medicus."

It might be worth while to announce the existence of this catalogue on one of the folders to be sent forth.

To further these ends, it is possible we should foster the spirit of cataloguing in laboratories in some manner, which would suggest itself to the wisdom of the members. Arrange a method which, as Mr. Barlow indicates, would enable one to know not only where to find a book, but better still, to know where books, pamphlets, reprints, etc. could be secured for deposit in libraries, laboratories, etc. where they would be of use. Perhaps it is indulging in a wild vagary to hope some such system could be devised in the near future, by which a mutual depository would be available.

If the Medical Library Association has a living purpose it should be made known. The President suggests the publication of the Transactions and the dispersion through folders and other official publications, of the objects and activities of this body. To this end he is glad to announce a contribution which will enable the officials to proceed in a modest way. I must express my personal gratitude to the members and the officials for their fine spirit of loyalty and altruism.

THE HISTORY OF THE MEDICAL LIBRARY ASSOCIATION.

The Medical Library Association originally bore the name of Association of Medical Librarians, and the first meeting was the result of a suggestion by Miss M. R. Charlton, Librarian of the Medical Department of McGill University, Montreal, made to Dr. George Gould at the time of the meeting of the British Medical Association meeting in that city. Dr. Gould at once took up the matter and a notice was sent March, 1898, by Miss Charlton of Montreal, who in her letter stated that Dr. George Gould had commissioned her to do all the necessary correspondence. The first meeting was held in Dr. Gould's editorial rooms, 1420 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, May 2, 1898. At this meeting there were present: Dr. George M. Gould of Philadelphia; Dr. J. L. Rothrock of St. Paul; Dr. E. H. Brigham of Boston; Dr. William Browning of Brooklyn; Mr. Charles Perry Fisher of Philadelphia; Miss M. R. Charlton of Montreal; Miss Elizabeth Thies and Miss M. C. Noyes of Baltimore. The object of the meeting was stated by Dr. Gould and the following officers elected: President, Dr. George M. Gould; Vice President, Dr. J. L. Rothcock; Secretary, Miss M. R. Charlton; Treasurer, Dr. William Browning.

Dr. Gould read a paper entitled, The Work of an Association of Medical Librarians, in which he suggested the following committees:

(1) On Exchange of Library Duplicates.
(2) For Securing Libraries of Retiring or Deceased Physicians.
(3) For Securing and Distribution of Transactions of Medical Societies.
(4) On Antiquarian Books and Auction Sales.
(5) For Securing Endowments of Medical Libraries.
(6) On Rare Works in Single Libraries.
(7) For Supplying Special Information, Securing Useful Abstracts, etc.
(8) On Library Management, Technic, Devices, Binding, etc.

The first official organ of the Association might be said to be *Medical Libraries* published by Dr. Spivak of Denver.

The second meeting was held October 5, 1899 in Philadelphia with 13 members present, during the year the membership had increased to over 20. At this meeting a Constitution and By-Laws was drafted and adopted by the Association and shortly after a book of eight pages was issued giving a list of officers and members, the Constitition and By-Laws, etc.

The Exchange was established on December 1, 1899 at Philadelphia and during the first year of its existence a distribution of some 300 volumes. In October, 1900 the Exchange was removed to Baltimore where it was placed under the direction of Miss M. C. Noyes, the work being done in the library of the Medical and Chirurgical Faculty of Maryland. The Exchange remained at Baltimore until 1904, during this time an enormous number of duplicates were

transferred from one library to another and a large number of miscellaneous volumes were collected and as far as the Exchange is concerned this was the best period of its existence. Owing to the fact that the place used by the Exchange was needed by the library for its own use the Exchange was transferred to Brooklyn under the care of Mr. Albert Tracy Huntington of the Kings County library, it remained there until July, 1909 when it was again removed to Baltimore and housed in the new building of the Medical and Chirurgical Faculty of Maryland and Miss M. C. Noyes again placed in charge as manager with a special assistant employed to do Exchange work only. It is hoped that within the next year or two the work of the Exchange will again grow to the usefulness which it attained during former years when it was in Baltimore.

The publication of the present new series of the Bulletin makes the fourth attempt to found an official organ for the Association. The first was the *Medical Libraries*. The second publication was the *Bulletin of the Association of Medical Librarians*, edited by Miss M. C. Noyes and Dr. Henry M. Hurd of Baltimore and Mr. John S. Brownne of New York. This publication passed through two volumes and then the Transactions were published in the *Medical Library and Historical Journal* under the editorship of Mr. A. T. Huntington of Brooklyn. This last publication published five volumes 1903-1907. After the cessation of this the Association had no official publication which hampered the work to a very great extent.

The movements of the Association have been of considerable interest the third meeting being held in Atlantic City, June 4, 1900 with 11 members present.

The fourth annual meeting was held in Baltimore at which there were 13 individuals present. At this meeting Dr. William Osler was elected President; Dr. George M. Gould, Vice President; Dr. George D. Hersey, Treasurer; Miss M. R. Charlton, Secretary.

The fifth annual meeting was held at Saratoga Springs, New York. There were 16 members present. The same officers were elected.

The sixth annual meeting was held at Brooklyn, May 16, 1903, with 16 members present. This year there were 1171 volumes received by the Exchange, 6242 books and journals distributed from the Exchange and 1863 by exchange among libraries. Dr. Osler was continued as President and Dr. A. Jacobi was elected Vice President; Mr. A. T. Huntington, Secretary; Dr. George D. Hersey, Treasurer.

The seventh annual meeting was held in Atlantic City, June 6, 1904, at which meeting there were 19 members present. The total distributions during this year reached 9062 volumes. The officers elected were: Dr. J. R. Chadwick, President; Dr. A. Jacobi, Vice President; with the same Secretary and Treasurer of the former year. At this meeting an amended Constitution and By-Laws was adopted and two definite dues for library and individual memberships $10.00 and $5.00 respectively.

The eighth annual meeting was held in Boston, June 24, 1905 with 20 members present. The officers elected this year were: Dr. A. Jacobi, President; Dr. George Dock, Vice President; Mr. Huntington aud Dr. Hersey were elected Secretary and Treasurer respectively.

The ninth annual meeting was held in Boston, June 4, 1906. There were some 20 members present. The officers elected this year were: Dr. George Dock, President; Dr. J. H. Musser, Vice President; Mr. A. T. Huntington, Secretary; Dr. George D. Hersey, Treasurer.

The tenth annual meeting was held in Atlantic City, June 3, 1907, with 16 members present. At this meeting the name of the Association was changed to the Medical Library Association. At this meeting Miss Ada Bunnell of Albany was elected Secretary. The other officers elected were: Dr. George Dock, President; Dr. John H. Musser, Vice President; Dr. George D. Hersey, Treasurer. There are no official minutes of this meeting.

The eleventh annual meeting was held in Chicago, June 1, 1908. There are no official minutes of this meeting. There were 16 members present at this meeting. The following officers were elected: Dr. J. H. Musser, President; Mr. C. Perry Fisher, Vice President; Miss M. R. Charlton, Secretary; Dr. George D. Hersey, Treasurer.

The twelfth annual meeting was held in Washington and Baltimore, May 12 and 13, 1909. There were 20 members present at this meeting. The officers elected were: Dr. J. H. Musser, President; Mr. C. Perry Fisher, Vice President; Miss M. R. Charlton, Secretary; Dr. George D. Hersey, Treasurer.

The thirteenth annual meeting was held in St. Louis, June 6 and 7, 1910. The officers elected at this meeting were: Dr. J. H. Musser, President; Mr. C. Perry Fisher, Vice President; Miss M. R. Charlton, Secretary; Dr. John Ruhräh of Baltimore, Treasurer.

The fourteenth annual meeting was held in Atlantic City, May 9 and 10, 1911. The officers of the previous year were re-elected. At this meeting it was decided to publish the present Bulletin.

MINUTES OF THE FOURTEENTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MEDICAL LIBRARY ASSOCIATION.

The fourteenth Annual Meeting of the Medical Library Association was held at the Marlborough-Blenheim, May 9 and 10, 1911.

The meeting was called to order by the President, Dr. J. H. Musser of Philadelphia, at 8.15 in the Director's Room at the hotel. The following members were present: Dr. J. H. Musser, Philadelphia; Dr. A. Jacobi, New York; Dr. George Dock, St. Louis; Mr. C. P. Fisher, Philadelphia; Mrs. G. W. Myers, Boston; Miss M. M. Loomis and Miss C. A. McAuliff, Chicago; Miss M. W. Blogg, Baltimore; Dr. Charles Frankenburger, Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia and Dr. John Ruhräh, Baltimore.

The following programme was carried out:

The President's Address; Dr. J. H. Musser, Philadelphia.

"Hospital Records in relation to the hospital librarian"; Mrs. G. W. Myers, Boston.

"The establishment of medical libraries in county medical societies"; Dr Carl E. Black, Jacksonville, Illinois. In the absence of Dr. Black the paper was read by Dr. Musser.

"The Changes in Medical Periodical Literature since January, 1909"; Mr. C. P. Fisher.

All of these papers were discussed by the various members of the Association. The meeting then adjourned.

The second session was called to order at 9.30, Wednesday, May 10 by Dr. Musser. The minutes of the previous meeting were read by Dr. Ruhräh acting as Secretary pro-tem.

There was no Report of the Secretary.

The Report of the Treasurer was read by Dr. Ruhräh, audited by Dr. George Dock and Mrs. G. W. Myers and was accepted and ordered filed.

There was no report of the Finance Committee.

The Report of the Manager of the Exchange, Miss M. C. Noyes, was read by Dr. Ruhräh and was accepted and ordered filed.

On the motion of Mr. Fisher a vote of thanks was extended to the new Treasurer for the interest taken in the Association. This was ordered spread on the minutes of the Association.

On motion of Mr. Fisher, seconded by Dr. Frankenburger, the recommendation of the Treasurer that the fiscal year of the Association be made to correspond with the calendar year, and that the members be given their dues from the present time until 1912, was unanimously carried.

It was decided to issue a Bulletin containing the Transactions of the Association and other material, this publication to be in charge of the Treasurer and Manager of the Exchange and to be controlled by the Executive Committee.

Miss Loomis read a Report from Dr. Black as chairman of the committee on Increase of Membership. Dr. Black was continued as chairman of this committee and ordered to confer with the Executive Committee about this work, and to suggest suitable members for the committee.

Mrs. Myers was appointed chairman of a committee to secure medical librarians in charge of hospital records as individual members.

Mrs. Myers and Dr. George Dock appointed as an Auditing Committee reported the Treasurer's books correct.

The following amendment to the Constitution was proposed: Add to Chapter V an additional Section 7. The office of Secretary and Treasurer may be held by the same individual.

The following members were elected:

Library of the Washington University Medical School, St. Louis, Mo.
Library of the State University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa.
Yale University Medical Library, New Haven, Conn.
Library of the Department of Research Medicine of the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pa.
Dr. L. F. Barker, Baltimore, Maryland.
Dr. A. D. Blackader, Montreal, Canada.
P. Blakiston's Son & Company, Philadelphia, Pa.
Dr. T. B. Futcher, Baltimore, Maryland.
Dr. H. B. Jacobs, Baltimore, Maryland.
Dr. J. P. Warbasse, Brooklyn, New York.
Dr. J. W. Williams, Baltimore, Maryland.
Dr. J. C. Wilson, Philadelphia, Pa.

The following officers were elected:

President, Dr. J. H. Musser, Philadelphia, Pa.
Vice President, Mr. C. Perry Fisher, Philadelphia, Pa.
Secretary, Miss M. R. Charlton, Montreal, Canada.
Treasurer, Dr. John Ruhräh, Baltimore, Md.

Executive Committee, Dr. J. W. Farlow, Boston, Mass.; Dr. L. H. Taylor, Wilkes Barre, Pa.; Dr. W. M. Browning, Brooklyn, New York.

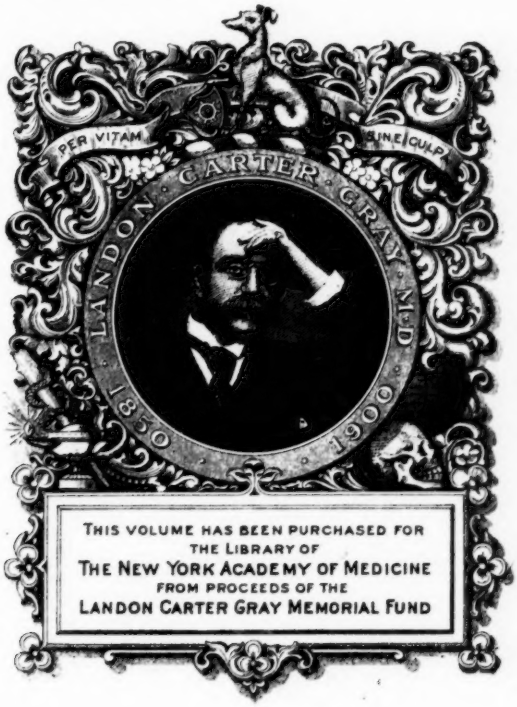
Finance Committee, Dr. F. J. Lutz, St. Louis, Mo.; Dr. C. E. Black, Jacksonville, Ill.; Dr W. S. Halsted, Baltimore, Md.; Dr. G. N. J. Sommer, Trenton, New Jersey; Miss M. M. Loomis, Chicago, Illinois.

The meeting then adjourned.

NEWS ITEMS.

The fourth annual meeting of the *Academy of Medicine of Toronto*, and the first in their new building, 13 Queen's Park was largely attended. Dr. N. A. Powell was elected president for the ensuing year. Dr. Powell has been an enthusiastic member of the Medical Library Association, and was most efficient as librarian of the Ontario Medical Library Association, which was renamed as above.

The *New York Academy of Medicine*, New York, has received from the estate of Margaret E. Gray "the sum of fifty thousand dollars to be known as the Landon Carter Gray Library memorial fund, the income of which shall be appropriated from time to time to the purchase of books for the Library, in all books so purchased shall be inserted a book plate printed from the engraved plate, designed for that purpose."



Extracts from the Annual Report of the Library of *Jefferson Medical College*, from October 1, 1909 to September 30, 1910. Total number of volumes in the library, October 1, 1910 was 4519. There were 400 readers using the library during the year, consulting 15,728 books. During the year 131 donors presented to the library 322 volumes, 547 pamphlets and 350 numbers of periodicals. The number of books added during the year was: by purchase, 73; by binding of periodicals, 25; by donation, 226; total, 324. The library receives regularly 70 American and foreign medical periodicals. This library was established in 1898, and is maintained wholly as a reference medical library for the use of the Faculty, students and graduates of the Jefferson Medical College. The library is open daily from September 1 to June 30. Charles Frankenberger is the librarian in charge.

The Library of the *Medical and Chirurgical Faculty* has received a bequest of about $18,000.00 in the will of a former president, Dr. Charles M. Ellis of Elkton. This bequest was made without conditions but it was the desire of the donor that it should go towards the endowment fund of the Faculty which was started by Dr. Osler at the Centennial Celebration in 1899.

The *St. Louis Medical Library* in St. Louis, located at 3525 Pine Street, is a library of works on medicine and the allied sciences. It is supported by subscriptions, and the dues are: Life membership $100.00; Active membership $10.00 annually; Associate membership $5.00 annually.

Officers: Drs. N. B. Carson, *President;* J. H. Duncan, *Vice President;* Nathaniel Allison, *Secretary;* R. M. Funkhouser, *Treasurer;* F. J. Lutz, *Librarian;* Mr. John W. Kerr, *Assistant Librarian.* Trustees: Drs. O. F. Ball, W. E. Fischel, George Gellhorn, Joseph Grindon, H. N. Spencer, R. E. Schlueter.

The library has 13,200 volumes. For the year 1910-11 the receipts were $3,733.73; expenditures $3,654.37.

The fifth report of the *Medical Library Association of Newark*, New Jersey shows that the library facilities in Newark are growing. They now have a total of 1617 volumes of which 58 are current periodicals. This has been accomplished with the dues of 142 members, with practically no other financial assistance. The results attained in the short time with a small income are remarkable and show what can be done by persistent effort.

Dr. Musser has had a card catalogue of all the new books, 1909-1911, made, which is at the disposal of any library desiring to borrow same. The borrower would of course pay the transportation of this and return in good condition.

Miss Helen Hutchinson who has been librarian at the Washington University Medical School of St. Louis has resigned. The name of her successor has not yet been sent us.

The committee to obtain new members, especially among departmental libraries, and those interested in the care of hospital records, of which Mrs. Myers was appointed chairman at the last meeting, consists of Mrs. G. W. Myers, Miss Loomis of Chicago, and Miss Blogg of Baltimore. A beginning has already been made in the work of the committee.

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FOREWORD.

At the recent meeting of the Association it was decided to again publish a bulletin, probably a quarterly, and the immediate publication was made possible by the good offices of Dr. Musser who was instrumental in procuring funds for the first two or three numbers from sources outside the membership. This is not the first attempt of the Association to have its own publication and the previous efforts are mentioned in the brief historical sketch appearing in this number.

The need of such a means of communication between the members is self evident. In the first place it will keep up the interest and support of those who are otherwise not much interested in it and who have no other means of knowing what the Association is doing. It is our aim to include news concerning the different medical libraries in the country, as well as personal mention of the members, and to this end everyone is requested to furnish items which will be of interest.

Then too, it will allow the Exchange to print at least four lists of wants and of books or journals offered for exchange and this should facilitate the work very much indeed. In addition to these very important functions it is the intention to print at least one article upon medical library work and kindred subjects and we start with Dr. Musser's Atlantic City Address.

Now a word about the Association. The fact that in spite of several setbacks the Association has existed since 1898 demonstrates

that it fills a need, that it possesses inherent vitality and that with any sort of reasonable management the future is assured. Since the Exchange has been brought back to Baltimore and the chief work of the Association done at that place, the Exchange work has again started in a very encouraging manner. The financial condition of the Association is such that it has been thought sufficiently well off to make a present of half of a year's dues to all its members. If each member of the Association will secure one new member between this and the first of the new year, there will be sufficient income to maintain the Exchange, to broaden its work, to pay the current expenses of the Association, to publish the Bulletin and we hope that there will be something left over to help in the work of founding new Medical Libraries in the county medical societies, modeled perhaps after the one which Dr. Black of Jacksonville, Ill. has so admirably planned and conducted. Dr. Black's article on the subject of County Medical Libraries will be published in a subsequent issue.

In every association for whatever purpose there are a few who work and a great many who sit back and criticize. It would be indeed gratifying if this could be reversed and we ask the help of every member in the work of building up an active Association with a model Exchange. To do this means that we must have the active support of every library member. We can do no more than to furnish list of wants and of books offered. It remains for each library to see that all lists are scrutinized and the necessary investigation made to see whether the book or journal needed can be supplied.

There is a tendency among libraries as among individuals to take a Chauvinistic view of just such work as this Association aims to accomplish and there is perhaps too much of the spirit of "Where do we come in?" To succeed we must adopt the altruistic view, that old slogan of the three musketeers and d'Artagnan "Each for all and all for each." Without being moralists we venture to suggest that the cultivation of the altruistic spirit, as we hope to foster it, may bring rewards of its own.

As the Bulletin will in a large measure, if not entirely, replace the former means of communication by means of letters and circulars we ask that each number be scanned from cover to cover so that important announcements will not be overlooked. Whilst other means of calling the members attention may occasionally be resorted to, the publication in this Bulletin of any announcement will be looked upon as official. A very considerable experience with similar publications suggests the wisdom of emphasizing this point.

In closing we bespeak your interest and assistance and we wish every member to feel that the pages of the Bulletin are open to them and if there are any suggestions or criticisms that they will be promptly sent to the Editors. We believe in the Association and the value of its work and are willing to sacrifice a sufficient amount of time and energy to make it really worth while; but we wish it to be borne in mind that do what we may the ultimate success of such an undertaking depends largely upon the membership and the amount of interest and actual work they put into it.

WHAT WE ASK OF OUR LIBRARY MEMBERS.

We believe that one of the most important functions of the Medical Library Association is the exchange or should we say the contribution of books and journals. We therefore ask the following:

That each member send in lists of books or journals wanted in addition to those already sent.

That each published list be read and if possible the want supplied.

That lists of duplicates which can be supplied be sent. We realize that it is asking too much to have duplicates listed but it is within the power of all to send lists of a hundred good things that are mouldering in the cellar and which might be of use in some other library.

That you answer all requests as promptly as possible.

EXCHANGE.

The following publications are owned by the Association and by authority of the Executive Committee are offered to the members. These will be distributed from the basis of first come first served and not by any reference to size of the library applying. If no requests are made within two months time these volumes will be otherwise disposed of. Library members will please note that this list includes publications of a certain amount of historical value. Individual members desiring any of the following publications should send their applications in at once and if the volumes asked for are not wanted by a library they will be forwarded at the expiration of the time above stated.

Abel, Mrs. M. H.	Practical sanitary and economic cooking. New York, 1890. (Prize essay)
Abel, Mrs. M. H. and Daniell, M.	Science of nutrition. Boston, 1896. 246p.
Andrae, G.	Medical clinic, diseases of the encephalon. Phila., 1843. 303p.

Andrae, G.	Medical clinic, diseases of the chest. Phila., 1843. 208p.
Andrae, G.	Medical clinic, diseases of the abdomen. Phila., 1843. 420p.
Armstrong, John.	Practical illustrations of typhus fever * * * * and of inflammatory diseases. Phila., 1822. 434p.
Arnold, R. D.	Bilious and yellow fever. Augusta, Ga., 1856. 24p.
Baillie, Matthew.	The morbid anatomy of some of the most important parts of the human body. Albany, 1795. 248p.
Bancroft, E. N.	Yellow fever, observations concerning febrile contagion, typhus fever. Balto., 1821. 526p.
Barker, B. F.	Essay on the use of anaesthetics in midwifery. New York, 1861. 268p.
Barker, B. F. and Gardner, A. K.	Remarks on puerperal fever. New York, 1858. 16p.
Barker, B. F.	Comparative use of ergot and the forceps in labor. New York, 1858. 16p.
Barnwell, W.	Physical investigations and deductions. Phila., 1802. 458p.
Barth, M. and Roger, Henry.	Practical treatise on ausculation. Tr. by Patrick Newbigging. Lexington, 1847. 312p.
Bartlett, Elisha.	An essay on the philosophy of medical science. Phila., 1844. 312p.
Bartlett, Elisha.	History, diagnosis and treatment of the fevers of the United States. Phila., 1852. 595p.
Beasley, F.	Search of truth in the science of the human mind. Phila., 1822. 560p.
Billard, C. M.	A treatise on the diseases of infants. New York, 1839. 620p.
	Biographical cyclopædia of homeopathic physicians and surgeons. Chicago, 1893. 172p.
Blackall, J.	Observations on the nature and cure of dropsies. Phila., 1820. 274p.
Bowditch, H. I.	Public hygiene in America. Boston, 1877. 498 p.
Bowditch, N.	The new American practical Navigator. Newburyport, 1807. 679p.
Brown, Harvey E.	Report on quarantine on the southern and gulf coasts of the United States. New York, 1873. 117p.
Bulkley, L. D.	Syphilis in the innocent. New York, 1894. 398p.
Burns, John.	Dissertations on inflammation. 2vs. in one. Albany, 1812.
Burns, John.	Principles of midwifery including the diseases of women and children. New York, 1839. 806p.
Burke, W.	Virginia mineral springs. Richmond, 1853. 376p.
Busey, S. C.	Narrowing occlusion and dilation of lymph channels. Washington, 1878. 1951p.
Busey, S. C.	Souvenir with an autobiographical sketch of early life and selected miscellaneous addresses and communications. Washington, 1896. 382p.
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